



Ninety-Ninth Legislature - First Session - 2005
Introducer's Statement of Intent
LB 670

Chairperson: Patrick J. Bourne
Committee: Judiciary
Date of Hearing: March 11, 2005

The following constitutes the reasons for this bill and the purposes which are sought to be accomplished thereby:

LB 670 adds two provisions to Nebraska's Computer Crimes Act that would serve to curb the proliferation of unsolicited, bulk electronic mail, commonly known as Spam. The provisions offered through LB 670 are complimentary to the Federal Can-Spam law passed in 2003.

LB670 includes prohibitions against false or forged e-mail transmission or routing information and also prohibits the sale or distribution of software that is primarily designed to allow falsification of e-mail transmission or routing information.

All money or income generated by a violation of LB 670 or all personal property used to violate the provisions of the bill can be seized by the state. Proceeds are to be distributed as stated in Article VII, section 5, of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska.

Principal Introducer: _____
Senator David Landis